

"ICE SKATES" FOR SWEET CHARITY

In New York there is special dependence placed upon ice at Christmas; for the city is not a desirable merry-making place at all times of the year, and if Christmas has no element of fun in it little can be hoped for the other seasons.

Skating upon Central Park Lake began years ago, when the elder Bennett carried an "ad" in his paper to the effect that stagers would run a fair north as Central Park twice a day for 25 cents a fare. Now all horse-car lines (plus Central Park, and everyone with nimble

There is no more Democratic material in the world than snow and ice. The former is called "beautiful" by everyone, from the schoolboy who makes a snow man to the real man who drives a Russian sleigh over its breast. And ice is loved by all, from the poor wretch who finds life in its coolness to the woman of leisure who spins over its bosom. The

W. G. Bryan has removed his stable of horses from the Exposition Grounds to

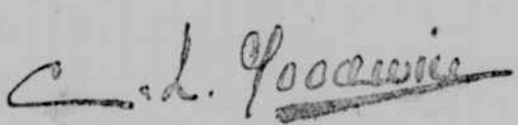
came here from Lexington, Ky., has been very successful with horses placed in his hands, sustaining the reputation made at his old home in the Blue Grass region of Kentucky. He is wintering close to twenty head of trotters and pacers, among them Albert C., 2:30-24, by Clay, son of Walker Merrill; Gordon Smith, 2:35-14, by Willis; Lalla Anderson, 2:35-14, by Woodburn Hambletonian; Moss, 2:35-14, by Sultan; Ginter, 2:31-12, by Quartermaster; Setback, trial 2:35-14, by Green B.; Senator Little, black colt,

for Mr. E. R. Bowne and his private secretary. From the center pole will fly silken streamers, with the names of the horses on them, and there will be a flag-staff for the Stars and Stripes. There will be a large center table for books and papers, and chairs for twenty or more people. The private secretary will occupy one corner of the tent with his desk and typewriter, and in the other corner will be silkies painted black with gold stripes, Black blankets and robes with

was very promising, and during the past season with slight handling he could show miles under two-forty, and step fractions at a much faster clip. His new owner has had the youngster gelded and will have him handled for speed next season. Dr. Mathews is a shrewd judge of individuality, and has owned some good horses. In 1887 he purchased and drove on the road the bay mare Miss Lawster, now distinguished as the dam of Miss Nelson, 2:11 1-4, the fastest of

Mr. Edward Wahn, of Chestnut Hill Stock Farm, Pa., is in Warrenton and vicinity looking around for horses that will do to carry home with him. Mr. Wahn is the best hand in developing a horse we have ever seen, and has made some wonderful transformations in horses carried from this section, and as much, if not more than any buyer of horses in this vicinity has added to the

The semi-weekly meets of the Deep Run Hunt Club are well attended and furnish exhilarating sport to members and others who take part. The new headquarters of the club near the A. P. Hill monument are more popular than



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Bicycling is claimed to be the cheapest of sports, but skating is less expensive. You can get a pair of skates for a silver cart-wheel, and then the frost and snow do the rest, with the assistance of the Park Commissioners to help out, which costs the skaters nothing.

CLARENCE S. BUSSELL.

Mr. S. H. Handcock has at his country home, Chantilly, near this city, one of the cleverest collection of hunters and jumpers which he uses for cross country work and at the meets of the Deep Run Hunt Club, of which he is master of hounds. Among them are the gray gelding, Free Trade, 16 hands high and six years old that can take up big weight and jump five feet with ease; Boodle, a bay gelding sixteen hands high, by son of Polus, and a good jumper; Home Rule, bay gelding eight years old, close to sixteen hands and a horse of perfect manners, able to jump well; Hard Times, a chestnut gelding, eight years old, not a handsomely

Baron Wilkes, did a prosperous business in the stud for his owners B. W. Burdick & Son, at Albany, New York, during the past season, serving fifty mares. The son of Baron Wilkes was formerly owned at Almamore Farm, Graham, N. C., where he made the seasons of 1895 and 1896, and was bred to some good mares. Three of his foals are still owned at Almamore by Mr. L. Banks Holt. They are a yearling filly, out of Jills, dam of Flaro, 2-26-94, by Jay Bird, and a couple of yearlings, whose dams are by Woodburn Hambletonian and Dictator.

Mr. Holt thought very highly of Baronet, who was purchased a four-year-old

Mr. Louis has a black and white pair from Virginia named and breeders for some years. The pair is wintering a couple of fine broodmares at Whitley Farm, near this city. One of them, Virginia, Maid, is trotting-bred, and the other, Emily Terrill, is thoroughbred. The former is by Sam Purdy, dam Pech Blossom, by Orange Blossom. She is in foal to Egwood, and figures as the dam of Nutwell, 2:29-4, and Mould, 2:29-4. The latter is by Sultan, and W. G. Bryan, who is wintering him, looks for Emily to trot well under 2:30 next season. Mould Terrill is a black daughter of Powhatan, and Evelyn Carter, by Imp. Australian. She dropped last

2-Piece Chamber Set, with slop jar.....	2.75
Glassware.	
Crystal Tumblers.....	.02
Jelly Mugs and Glasses.....	.05
8-in. Cut Glass Bowl, worth 25¢.....	.10
Cake Salver, 35¢ kind.....	.15
Glass Fruit Basket.....	.27
Water Set.....	.43

Cake Mould.....	.10
2-quart Pudding Pan.....	.02
Stoves.	
Air-Tight Heater, wood saver.....	2.50
Cast Iron Cylinder Stove, for coal.....	2.00
Gas Heating Stove.....	1.88
Oil Stove, 1 burner.....	.34

Prices for Monday.

Toys.		Wine Glasses.	
Tea Set.....	\$.07	Thin Blown Tumblers, \$1.00	.24
Tea Set, china.....	.16	doz kind.....	.32
China Dolls.....	.05	Whiskey Glasses, 75c. dozen	.03
French Kid Dolls.....	.18	kind.....	.10
Toy Cooking Range full		Celery Stand.....	.23
nickel.....	.78	Toilet Bottles, cut glass.....	.34
Iron Toys, 50c. kind.....	.25	Table Goblets.....	.05
Drums.....	.46	Flower Vases.....	.05
Building Blocks, 25c kind.....	.18	9-in. Glass Dish.....	.05
\$2 Brass Upright Engine.....	.75	Glass Vase, decorated.....	.20
Alphabet Blocks.....	.07	Jelly Bowl, footed.....	.20
Tin Tops.....	.04		
Tin Toys.....	.03	Lamps.	
Piano, 15 keys.....	.82	Bracket Lamp.....	.15
Rocking Chairs.....	.24	Glass Stand Lamp.....	.14
		Night Lamp.....	.10
		Handsome Table Lamp.....	.59
		Hall Lamp, ruby globe.....	.99
		Brass Banquet Lamp, centre	
		draft burner.....	1.00
		Hand-Painted Banquet	
		Lamp, globe to match.....	2.20
		Princess Banquet Lamp,	
		worth \$1.50.....	.89
		Hand-Painted Lamp Globes,	
		8-in., will only sell one	
		dozen.....	.60
Chinaware.		Granite Iron Ware.	
Individual China Butters,		Coffee Pot—	
decorated.....	.03	2-quart.....	.26
Decorated Cup and Saucer,		3-quart.....	.32
pair.....	.08	4-quart.....	.36
Meat Dish.....	.05	Sauce Pan—	
China Cuspadores.....	.19	2-quart.....	.20
Cup, Saucer and Plate Set... 19-in. Turkey Dish.....	.15 .33	3-quart.....	.23
Gold Band China Cup and		4 quart.....	.32
Saucer, pair.....	.09	6-quart.....	.44
Oval Deep Dish.....	.08	Bucket, 2-quart.....	.14
Decorated China Fruit		Muffin Frame.....	.21
Saucers.....	.03	Pudding Pans, 4-quart.....	.12
Moustache Cup and Saucer	.10	Tea Kettle.....	.35
Gold Band China Plates.....	.09	Pie Plates.....	.05
China Mantel Ornaments.....	.10	Jelly Pans.....	.08
8-in. Semi-Porcelain Plates,			
decorated.....	.09		
Motto Cup and Saucer,			
Carlsbad China.....	.10		
Souvenirs and After-Dinner			
Cup and Saucer.....	.10		
Decorated Cream Pitchers...	.05		
China Butter Dish, decorated	.23		
Milk and Mush Set.....	.15		
Cracker Jars, decorated			
china.....	.25		
China Tea Pot, decorated.....	.59		
50-piece Tea Set, Carlsbad			
china.....	\$ 4.24		
Chamber Set, underglaze			
decorations, 10 pieces.....	1.59		
Handsome China Dinner			
Set, hand-painted decorations,			
contains 102 pieces.....	12.98		
Hand-Painted Chamber Set,			
12 pieces, with slop jar,			
worth \$12.00.....	6.40		
Dinner Set, English china,			
100 pieces.....	4.24		
Chamber Set, hand-painted,			
10 pieces. Bought to sell			
at \$7.50, will go Monday...	3.49		
12-Piece Chamber Set, with			
slop jar.....	2.75		
Glassware.		Tinware.	
Crystal Tumblers.....	.02	Pie Plates.....	.22
Jelly Mugs and Glasses.....	.05	Cocoa Graters.....	.02
8-in. Cut Glass Bowl, worth		Nutmeg Graters.....	.02
25c.....	.10	Tin Toilet Sets.....	.99
Cake Salver, 35c. kind.....	.15	Jelly Pans, shallow and deep.	.25
Glass Fruit Basket.....	.27	16-inch Tea Trays.....	.09
Water Set.....	.43	Egg Whip.....	.03
		Basting Spoons.....	.03
		Rotary Sifters.....	.07
		Coffee Pot, 4-quart.....	.10
		Potato Masher.....	.02
		8-quart Bucket, with cover.	.15
		Cake Box.....	.25
		Coal Vases.....	1.27
		Roger Bros. A1 Tea Spoons...	.93
		Cake Mould.....	.10
		2-quart Pudding Pan.....	.02
		Stoves.	
		Air-Tight Heater, wood	
		saver.....	2.50
		Cast Iron Cylinder Stove,	
		for coal.....	2.00
		Gas Heating Stove.....	1.88
		Oil Stove, 1 burner.....	.34